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In re application of:

PHILIP E. EGGERS et al.

Application No.: 09/054,660

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR
ELECTROSURGICAL MYOCARDIAL
REVASCULARIZATION

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner: M. Peffley

Art Unit: 3739

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
STATEMENT UNDER
37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98**

Sir:

The references cited on attached form PTO-1449 are being called to the attention of the Examiner. A copy of each is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the cited information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and the references be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

Applicant believes that no fee is required for submission of this statement, since it is being submitted prior to the first Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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